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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed November 18, 2005, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on Page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on Page 3 of this paper.